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# News Release

## **HPD Hosts SWAT Training Exercise**

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The Harrisonburg Police Department's Special Weapons and Tactics Team (SWAT) will host a training exercise tomorrow.

On Tuesday, March 13 from 8 a.m. until 12 p.m., HPD's SWAT Team, along with teams from other jurisdictions, will be conducting training downtown in the 200 block of South Liberty Street.

This is a regional training that is held on a quarterly basis. Each training exercise is scenario-based to create a potential real-life situation for the team members.

Tomorrow's exercise is strictly a training drill; however the public may notice an increase in police activity throughout the day.

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